

IN THE SPECIFICATION

A marked up copy of the Abstract is supplied in the MARKED-UP section following the Remarks of this Response. A clean copy of the Abstract is supplied as the last page of this Response. Please amend the Abstract at page 20 to read as follows:

A method of notifying clients of a change in a USB including a first client requesting notification of a first change in the USB, detecting the first change in the USB, and notifying the first client requesting notification that the first change in the USB occurred. The first change may be, for example, connection or disconnection of a USB device.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 21 as follows. A marked-up copy of the claims is provided in the MARKED-UP section.

At line 1 of claim 21, please replace "USB" with --Universal Serial Bus (USB)--.